(c) and (d) As per available information, Scheduled Tribes constitute 27.35% of the total project affected population. The project-wise details of project affected scheduled tribes are given in the Statement. (*see* below).

(e) The State Government is required to rehabilitate the Project Affected Families (PAFs) as per the provisions of the Award of Narmada Water Disputes Tribunal (NWDT) in case of Sardar Sarovar Project and as per the Resettlement and Rehabilitation Policy of the State Government with respect to other projects.

Statement

Details of Scheduled Tribes Project affected families in the various dams constructed in Narmada Valley.

Sl.No.	Name of Project	Total PAFs	Scheduled Tribe PAFs	Percentage of Scheduled Tribes
1.	Sardar Sarovar Project	33014	9964	30.18
2.	Indira Sagar Project	30739	6252	20.34
3.	Man Project	827	800	96.74
4.	Upper Beda Project	589	112	19.02
5.	Omkareshwar Project	3024	1522	50.33
6.	Jobat Project	705	705	100.00
	GRAND TOTAL:	68193	18650	27.35

Tribals of Bastar District, M.P.

697. KUMARI NIRMALA DESHPANDE: Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the tribals of Bastar district are being asked to leave their villages and are being put in camps;

(b) whether there is any plan to lease out the lands of those villages, vacated by the tribals, to industrial houses; and

(c) if so, the steps being taken to protect the interests of the tribals?

THE MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI P.R. KYNDIAH): (a) and (b) No, Madam.

(c) Does not arise in view of the reply given in parts (a) and (b).

Development of primitive tribal groups scheme

698. DR. GYAN PRAKASH PILANIA: Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the aims and the objectives and genesis of the Development of Primitive Tribal Groups Scheme;

(b) whether the above Scheme has been implemented in Rajasthan;

(c) if so, the details of tribal groups covered in Rajasthan, district-wise;

(d) whether the pathetic condition of these primitive tribes, particularly SAHARIA, has come to the notice of Government;

(e) if so, the steps Government have taken for the welfare and upliftment of these primitive tribals in the last three years;

(f) the achievements made so far, in ameliorating their lot; and

(g) the proposals from Rajasthan Government pending with the Centre?

THE MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI P.R. KYNDIAH): (a) Within the Scheduled Tribes, there are certain tribal communities, which have low levels of literacy, a declining or stagnant population, a pre-agricultural level of technology and are economically backward. These groups are particularly vulnerable and therefore in need of special programmes for their protection and development. Seventy five such groups have been identified throughout the country and categorized as Primitive Tribal Groups (PTGs). In order to protect these vulnerable groups Government of India has launched a 100% Central Sector Scheme of "Development of Primitive Tribal Groups".